

## SSG Paul D. Savanuck Memorial Library New Books

2007-09

### Non-Fiction

**How to See Yourself As You Really Are** by His Holiness the Dalai Lama, Atria, 2006. (294.3422 B916)

**You Can Do It!: The Boomer's Guide to a Great Retirement** by Jonathan D. Pond, Collins, 2006. (332.024 P796)

**Jim Cramer's Mad Money: Watch TV, Get Rich** by James J. Cramer, Simon & Schuster, 2006. (332.632 C889) (Available on Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>)

### Fiction

#### ROMANCE

**Just Rewards** by Barbara Taylor Bradford, St. Martin's Press, 2006. Linnet O'Neill, great-granddaughter of Emma Harte, continues the family saga when she returns from her honeymoon filled with tantalizing ideas to renovate the family business. (Fiction Bra)

**A Loving Scoundrel** by Johanna Lindsey, Atria, 2004. Lindsey's historical romance series continues with this latest installment in which Jeremy Malory falls in love with a street urchin named Danny. Circumstances force Jeremy to employ Danny as a housemaid, and his relative, Regina, transforms the orphan into a lady with elegance and breeding. (Fiction Lin)

**Second Chance** by Danielle Steel, Delacorte Press, 2004. Editor-in-chief for glamorous CHIC magazine, Fiona Monaghan is an ambitious single woman content with her life, her dog, and her frenetic social life, until she meets handsome John Anderson the head of her new ad agency. (Fiction Ste)

#### HORROR

**Phantom Nights** by John Farris, Forge Books, 2005. Several usually unassociated natives of little Evening Shade, Tennessee, fatefully cross paths one pressure-cooking August 1952 weekend. After his banker father's funeral, U.S. Senate candidate Leland Howard decides to wind down with pretty Mally Shaw, his father's nurse at the end, and winds up raping and killing her. (Fiction Far)

#### Mystery & Thrillers

**Next** by Michael Crichton, HarperCollins, 2006. Blends fact and fiction into a breathless tale of a new world where nothing is what it seems and a set of new possibilities can open at every turn. (Fiction Cri)

**Whiteout** by Ken Follett, Follett's latest is a bio-thriller taking place over a wintry Christmas holiday in northern Scotland and well larded with family drama. (Fiction Fol)

**The Old Wine Shades** (Richard Jury Mysteries) by Martha Grimes, Viking Adult, 2006. Scotland Yard detective is on suspension because he decided to save lives rather than wait for a warrant in his previous outing, *The Winds of Change* (2004). With time on his hands, Jury is ensnared by the intriguing tale spun by Harry Johnson, a man who, apparently, just happens upon him in a London pub, the Old Wine Shades. (Fiction Gri)

**Hannibal Rising** by [Thomas Harris](#), Delacorte Press, 2006. Discover the origins of one of the most feared villains of all time in Thomas Harris's *Hannibal Rising*, a novel that promises to reveal the "evolution of Hannibal Lecter's evil." (Fiction Har)

**Blind Alley** by Iris Johansen, Bantam, 2004. In her latest thriller about Atlanta detective Joe Quinn and the love of his life, forensic sculptor Eve Duncan, Joe gives Eve a skull to reconstruct. Eerily enough, the face resembles 17-year-old Jane MacGuire, who has been offered sanctuary by Eve and Joe after surviving a rough-and-tumble life on the streets. (Fiction Joh)

**Firestorm** by Iris Johansen, Bantam, 2004. Two psychic firefighters confront a slew of dreadful deaths in this rip-roaring thriller. As a little girl, Kerry Murphy spent two years in a coma after losing her mother in a home fire. Kerry grows up to be a firefighter and then an arson specialist who uses her dog Sam as a cover for her remarkable psychic ability to telepathically sense fires. (Fiction Joh)

**On The Run** by Iris Johansen, Bantam, 2005. A single mom and gifted horse handler, Grace Archer goes on the lam with her equally exceptional eight-year-old daughter, Frankie, after a Middle Eastern magnate named Marvot kills the owner of the Alabama horse farm where they have been hiding under the watchful eye of Grace's former employer, the CIA. (Fiction Joh)

**Brother Odd** by Dean Koontz, Bantam, 2006 Third Odd Thomas novel offers an irresistibly offbeat mix of supernatural horror and laugh-out-loud humor. (Fiction Koo)

**The Frumious Bandersnatch:** A Novel of the 87th Precinct by Ed McBain, Simon & Schuster, 2004. Fat Ollie (aka Detective Oliver Wendell Weeks) resurfaces in this witty offering by wordmeister McBain. Take an up-and-coming MTV diva, add a dumb-and-dumber kidnapping team, chop coarsely with a police and federal task force with egos bigger than their intellects, and you have a rousing crime tale replete with inner-city oddballs. (Fiction McB)

**Blood Ties:** A Father Dowling Mystery by Ralph McInerny, St. Martin's Minotaur, 2005. explores the moral ambiguities of the choices people make in the wake of a young woman's unwanted pregnancy. McInerny uses a full palette of nothing but grays as Martha Lynch seeks to learn the identity of her birth mother on the eve of her engagement. (Fiction McI)

**Tom Clancy's Splinter Cell:** Checkmate by David Michaels, Berkley, 2006. (Fiction Mic)

**Borrow Trouble** by Mary Monroe, Tale is sophisticated and sexy, with the plotting and pacing of first-rate noir. (Fiction Mon)

**The 5th Horseman** (Women's Murder Club) by James Patterson, Little, Brown and Company, 2006. The members of the Women's Murder Club face an unspeakable menace in the most suspenseful hospital drama since Coma. (Fiction Pat)

**Divided in Death** by J. D. Robb, Putnam Adult, 2004. Found alone on the streets as a child, Eve Dallas has built a new identity and a new future as a cop. Now the hard-edged and coolheaded detective fights for truth and justice, but she still has one very human weakness-enigmatic Irish billionaire, Roarke. And when a trusted employee of Roarke Enterprises is a suspect in a double-homicide, Roarke comes to Eve for help. (Fiction Rob)

**Memory in Death** by J. D. Robb, Putnam Adult, 2006. Trudy Lombard, abusive foster mother to Dallas when she was 12 years old, has been murdered following a threat of blackmail. The usual cast of characters, including Roarke, Eve's husband, helps to crack the case, using intuition, high tech gadgetry, and good police work. (Fiction Rob)

**Origin in Death** by J. D. Robb, Putnam Adult, 2005. New York Police Lieutenant Eve Dallas returns again in this futuristic romantic suspense with husband/entrepreneur Roarke aiding in her latest case. (Fiction Rob)

**Survivor in Death** by J. D. Robb, Putnam Adult, 2005. NYPD Lt. Eve Dallas is haunted anew by echoes of her past when a family is murdered in their beds save for the 9-year-old daughter. Eve and Roarke shelter the girl in their home while working to track down the killers, who continue to murder in their quest to get to the girl. (Fiction Rob)

**Light on Snow** by Anita Shreve, Little, Brown and Company, 2004. An after-school stroll leads to a life-altering event for widower Robert Dillon and his 12-year-old daughter, Nicky. In the woods surrounding their secluded home in Shepherd, N.H., Robert and Nicky make a startling discovery—a baby abandoned and left to die in the snow. (Fiction Shr)

## Science Fiction & Fantasy/Graphic Novels

**Empire** by Orson Scott Card, Tor Books, 2006. Right-wing rhetoric trumps the logic of story and character in this near-future political thriller about a red-state vs. blue-state American civil war. (Fiction Car)

**Labyrinth of Evil** (Star Wars, Episode III Prequel Novel) by James Luceno, Obi-Wan Kenobi and Anakin Skywalker, now a Jedi Knight, pursue old enemy Viceroy Gunray, who has been oppressing the intelligent beetles on the planet Cato Neimoidia, in bestseller Luceno's jaunty contribution to the Star Wars franchise. (Fiction Luc)

**Mistress of the Pearl** (The Pearl, Book 3) by [Eric Van Lustbader](#), Tor Books, 2004. Fans of bestseller Lustbader will welcome the third hefty installment in his Pearl fantasy series with its wildly complex plot, breathless action and jaw-breaking nomenclature. (Fiction Lus)

**Dragon's Treasure** by Elizabeth A. Lynn, Ace Hardcover, 2004. In Lynn's fantasy *Dragon's Winter* (1998), set in the medieval world of Ippa, Karadur Atani was forced to usurp power from his twin brother and slay him. In this engrossing sequel, Karadur, now ensconced as dragon-lord at Dragon's Keep, fears that he may turn into a madman like his father. (Fiction Lyn)

**Going Postal: A Novel of Discworld** by Terry Pratchett, HarperCollins, 2004. British fantasist Pratchett's latest special-delivery delight, set in his wonderfully crazed city of Ankh-Morpork, hilariously reflects the plight of post offices the world over as they struggle to compete in an era when e-mail has stolen much of the glamour from the postal trade. (Fiction Pra)

**In The Footsteps Of Their Fathers** (Star Wars: Empire, Vol. 6) by Thomas Andrews, Dark Horse, 2006. (741.5973 A571)

## Religion & Spirituality

**The Mermaid Chair: A Novel** by Sue Monk Kidd, Viking Adult, 2005. The soulful tale of Jessie Sullivan, a middle-aged woman whose stifled dreams and desires take shape during an extended stay on Egret Island, where she is caring for her troubled mother, Nelle. (Fiction Kid)